IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: David Shippy § Group Art Unit: 2181

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